





# ILLUSIONS OF ADULTING

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Come for the comics,  
stay for the comments...

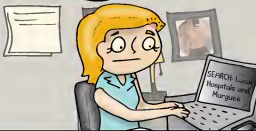
Don't worry. Hailey still loves you all  
but mainly those who write nice comments

It's so hard to work.  
I can't stop worrying  
about where Steve is



ILLUSION:

Now that I gave my presentation, my coworkers will leave me alone for awhile so I can search for Steve.



REALITY:

Nice presentation.

Can you help us?

What's with the  
bump on your head?



gaspi





The bump is nothing  
And, sure, I can help you.




Hailey, Can you help me find out how to merge cells in my spreadsheet?

Can you tell me how to sync my mail to my phone?

Can you format my document for me?





Wow! How do  
you know so  
much? Are you  
a wIZard?

No. It's called Google.  
Now, check your email for  
the links I just sent to you

THANKS! Bye!


SEARCH  
Answers for  
lazy coworkers

ring ring!!

Hi Alexis...

No, I haven't heard from Steve yet.  
This is so unlike him. Fight or not,  
we've never skipped a day from  
talking since we started dating.



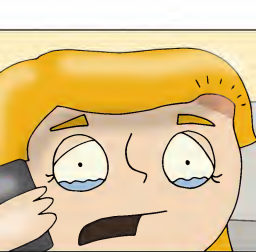
A comic book style speech bubble with a black outline and a white interior. The bubble is set against a background of radiating gray lines, resembling a sunburst or a starburst effect. The text inside the bubble is written in a simple, black, sans-serif font.

Yes, I checked  
all of the local  
hospitals and  
morgues, too.

I'm so worried.



Call the police?  
I guess it's time. Thanks.  
I'll let you know what happens.



Hello, Police...

I'd like to file a missing person's report.






His name is Steve Bailey...



Yes, I'll hold.

A cartoon character with blonde hair and a surprised expression, looking upwards. The character has large, wide eyes and a slightly open mouth. A speech bubble is positioned above their head.

What? You know where he is?

Thank goodness! Please, just  
give me the address and...

WHHHAAAAAATTTTT???!!!!!



He's in JAIL!?!

TO BE CONTINUED...

Awww - here's a comment from the last episode from my "Illusions Of Adulting Comment Army":

"I am proud of you. So many people complain in the section comments, promising to never come read this comic again... But they are not even able to keep their commitment of NOT doing something, and comment again! You are the one who makes something, you are the creator. You kept on doing your comic despite all the mean comments, and you went on for long without a word, and now you come back at them with humor "Come for the comic, stay for the comments" You are awesome, keep up the good work!"

Thanks! - (Sara Zimmerman) Author